

Signed at Washington, DC, this 21st day of May 1996.

Paul L. Joffe,

*Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.*

Attest: John J. Da Ponte, Jr., Executive Secretary.

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## International Trade Administration

[A-570-827]

### Certain Cased Pencils From the People's Republic of China; Termination In-Part of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of termination in-part of antidumping duty administrative review.

**SUMMARY:** On February 1, 1996, the Department of Commerce (the Department) initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain cased pencils from the People's Republic of China (PRC). The Department is now terminating this review in-part with respect to Shanghai Foreign Trade Corporation (SFTC).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 30, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Laura Merchant or Thomas Futtner, Office of Antidumping Compliance, Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D.C. 20230, telephone (202) 482-0367/3814.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

On February 1, 1996 (61 FR 3670), the Department published in the Federal Register a notice of initiation of administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain cased pencils from the PRC. This notice stated that the Department would review merchandise sold in the United States by SFTC during the period December 21, 1994 through November 30, 1995.

The petitioners in this case withdrew their request for review of SFTC on April 29, 1996. Under 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5) (1994), a party requesting a review may withdraw that request no later than 90 days after the date of publication of the notice of initiation. Because the withdrawal request was made within the time frame specified in

19 CFR 353.22(a)(5), and no other interested party has requested an administrative review for SFTC for this period, the Department is now terminating this review, in-part, with respect to SFTC.

Dated: May 17, 1996.

This notice is published pursuant to 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5).

Paul L. Joffe,

*Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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[A-429-601]

### Solid Urea From the Former German Democratic Republic; Initiation of Changed Circumstances Antidumping Duty Review

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Initiation of changed circumstances antidumping duty review.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce is initiating a changed circumstances review of the antidumping duty order on solid urea from the former German Democratic Republic (GDR) in order to calculate a new cash deposit rate using a market economy analysis for any shipments of solid urea from the five German states (Brandenburg, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt, and Thuringia (plus any other territory included in the former GDR)) that formerly constituted the GDR (hereinafter "the Five States") occurring after May 1, 1995 and before May 31, 1996.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 30, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Donna Kinsella, Office of Agreements Compliance, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Pursuant to section 751(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Tariff Act) and 19 CFR 353.22(f), the Department may review a determination whenever changed circumstances are sufficient to warrant such a review. In the instant case, the current cash deposit rate is based upon the non-market economy analysis provided for in section 773(c) of the Act. However, the Department has determined that as

of October 3, 1990, producers located in the five German states that formerly constituted the GDR have been operating in a market-oriented economy. *See Final Affirmative Countervailing Duty Determinations; Certain Steel Products from Germany*, 58 FR 37315, 37324 (July 9, 1993).

On May 1, 1995, the Department published in the Federal Register (60 FR 21068) the initiation of a changed circumstances review to calculate a new cash deposit rate using a market-economy analysis for any shipments of solid urea from the Five States occurring after October 2, 1990, and before May 1, 1995. On March 14, 1996, the Department published in the Federal Register (61 FR 10563) a termination of that changed circumstances review because it found no evidence of shipments occurring during this period.

The Department now has evidence of shipment(s) of solid urea from the Five States occurring after May 1, 1995. As a result, and in accordance with 19 CFR 353.22(f), we are initiating a changed circumstance review of the antidumping duty order on solid urea from the former GDR. In this review, the Department will calculate a new cash deposit rate using a market economy analysis for any shipments of solid urea from the Five States occurring after May 1, 1995, and before May 31, 1996. *See Antidumping Duty Order and Initiation of a Changed Circumstances Antidumping Duty Administrative Review: Certain Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plates from Poland*, 58 FR 44166 (1993) (change from a non-market to market economy justified a changed circumstances review to calculate a new cash deposit rate).

We intend to issue the final results of this review not later than December 31, 1996.

Dated: May 22, 1996.

Holly A. Kuga,

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Compliance.*

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## Export Trade Certificate of Review

**AGENCY:** International Trade Administration, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of revocation of Export Trade Certificate of Review No. 94-00005.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of Commerce issued an export trade certificate of review to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange). Because this certificate holder has failed to file an annual report as required by law, the Secretary is revoking the certificate.

This notice summarizes the notification letter sent to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** W. Dawn Busby, Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, 202/482-5131. This is not a toll-free number.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 ("the Act") [Pub. L. No. 97-290, 15 U.S.C. 4011-21] authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue export trade certificates of review. The regulations implementing Title III ["the Regulations"] are found at 15 CFR part 325 (1986). Pursuant to this authority, a certificate of review was issued on November 10, 1994 to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange).

A certificate holder is required by law to submit to the Department of Commerce annual reports that update financial and other information relating to business activities covered by its certificate (Section 308 of the Act, 15 U.S.C. 4018, Section 235.14 (a) of the Regulations, 15 CFR 325.14 (a)). The annual report is due within 45 days after the anniversary date of the issuance of the certificate of review [Sections 325.14 (b) of the Regulations, 15 CFR 325.14 (b)]. Failure to submit a complete annual report may be the basis for revocation (Sections 325.10(a) and 325.14(c) of the Regulations, 15 CFR 325.10(a) (3) and 325.14(c)).

On October 31, 1995, the Department of Commerce sent to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) a letter containing annual report questions with a reminder that its annual report was due on December 25, 1995. Additional reminders were sent on February 9, 1996 and on March 4, 1996. The Department has received no written response from William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) to any of these letters.

On April 18, 1996, and in accordance with Section 325.10 (c) [2] of the Regulations, [15 CFR 325.10 (c) (2)], the Department of Commerce sent a letter by certified mail to notify William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) that the Department was formally initiating the process to revoke its certificate for failure to file an annual report. In addition, a summary of this letter allowing William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) thirty days to respond was published in the Federal Register on April 24, 1996 at 61 FR 18121. Pursuant to 325.10(c) (2) of the Regulations (15 CFR 325.10(c) (2)), the Department considers the failure of William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) to respond to be an admission of the

statements contained in the notification letter.

The Department has determined to revoke the certificate issued to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) for its failure to file an annual report. The Department has sent a letter, dated May 24, 1996, to notify William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) of its determination. The revocation is effective thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice. Any person aggrieved by this decision may appeal to an appropriate U.S. district court within 30 days from the date on which this notice is published in the Federal Register 325.10(c) (4) and 325.11 of the Regulations, 15 CFR 324.10(c) (4) and 325.11 of the Regulations, 15 CFR 325.10(c) (4) and 325.11.

Dated: May 23, 1996.  
W. Dawn Busby,  
*Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs.*

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### National Institute of Standards and Technology

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#### Announcement of Availability of Funding for General Competition—Advanced Technology Program (ATP)

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Standards and Technology, Technology Administration, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Technology Administration's National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) announces the availability of funding for General Competition 96-01 under the Advanced Technology Program (ATP). This General Competition is open to all areas of technology, including those previously included in focused areas. Only a General Competition is planned this fiscal year; there are no plans to run focused program competitions during fiscal year 1996. This notice provides general information for this ATP competition for fiscal year 1996.

**DATES:** Proposal due date and other specific instructions for the General Competition will be published in the *Commerce Business Daily* (CBD) at the time the competition is announced. Date, time, and location of Proposers' Conferences held for interested parties considering applying for funding will also be announced in the CBD.

**ADDRESSES:** Information on the ATP may be obtained from the following address: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Advanced Technology Program, Administration Building (Bldg. 101), Room A430, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-0001.

Additionally, information on the ATP is available on the Internet through the World Wide Web (WWW) at <http://www.atp.nist.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for ATP information, application materials, and/or to have your name added to the ATP mailing list for future mailings may also be made by:

(a) Calling the ATP toll-free "hotline" number at 1-800-ATP-FUND or 1-800-287-3863. You will have the option of hearing recorded messages regarding the status of the ATP or speaking to one of our customer representatives who will take your name and address. If our representatives are all busy when you call, leave a message after the tone. To ensure that the information is entered correctly, please speak distinctly and slowly and spell the words that might cause confusion. Leave your phone number as well as your name and address;

(b) Sending a facsimile (fax) to 301-926-9524 or 301-590-3053; or

(c) Sending electronic mail to [atpmicf.nist.gov](mailto:atpmicf.nist.gov). Include your name, full mailing address, and phone number.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

The statutory authority for the ATP is Section 5131 of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-418, 15 U.S.C. 278n), as modified by Pub. L. 102-245. The ATP implementing regulations are published at 15 CFR part 295. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number and program title for the ATP are 11.612, Advanced Technology Program (ATP).

The ATP is a rigorously competitive cost-sharing program designed to assist United States industry/businesses pursue high-risk, enabling technologies with significant commercial/economic potential. The ATP provides multi-year funding to single companies and to industry-led joint ventures to pursue research and development (R&D) projects with high-payoff potential for the nation. The ATP accelerates enabling technologies that, because they are risky, are unlikely to be developed in time to compete in rapidly changing world markets without such a partnership between industry and the